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Applicant(s): Harold Brodie

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For: INHIBITION OF BACTERIAL GROWTH

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a 3-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action dated July 21, 2003, up to and including January 21, 2004, for the purpose of permitting the timely filing of the enclosed Amendment.

Authorization to charge the additional fee of \$950.00 for the 3-month extension of time for a large entity, and/or any additional fees associated with this Petition For Extension of Time is granted in the attached Fee Transmittal Form.

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Respectfully submitted,

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